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In re application of:

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ADHESIVE FILM SYSTEM FOR  
LASER CAPTURE  
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Sir:

Before examining the above-referenced patent application, please consider the following amendments and remarks:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 5, line 20, before "occurring" insert --rarely--;

Page 5, line 20, delete "remaining".

Page 10, line 4, delete "S".

Page 10, line 8, delete "70".